



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Group Art Unit: 1723
MICHAEL S. REEDY)
SERIAL NO.: 09/835,827	70
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231	ZOO3 LL ROOM
Sir:	

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 26, 2002, Applicant hereby amends the subject application, as follows:

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